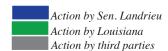
LOUISIANA'S F M A P Disaster-Recovery



March 25: The FY11 FMAP Projections are released in the Federal Funds Information for States report. La. is projected to have the largest drop in FMAP, a reduction of 7.7% over 2 years.

May 4: The Louisiana Congressional delegation sends a letter to HHS Sec. Kathleen Sebelius to request a meeting on behalf of Sec. Levine.

AUGUST: Sec. Levine tells the press the FMAP drop needs a legislative fix from Congress.

> Aug. 28: Gov. Jindal holds a press conference at the governor's mansion addressing FMAP.

July 8: The Louisiana Congressional delegation meets to discuss FMAP.

OCTOBER: Sec. Levine tells the press federal officials are not working fast enough toward resolving the impending FMAP reduction.

Nov. 18: Senate leadership introduces the Patient Protection & Affordable Care Act. Sen. Landrieu secures language in the Senate health care bill that includes the FMAP fix.

OCTOBER: Sen. Landrieu's office continues to work with Louisiana's DHH to determine the impact of the FMAP drop.

Dec. 10: Sec. Levine thanks Sen. Landrieu for her work on the FMAP legislation.

Nov. 23: HHS rules that Hurricane Gustav is an eligible disaster and extends Louisiana's eligibility period for the FMAP enhancement through FY 15.

Nov. 30: An unintend-

the Disaster-Recovery

the ACA is discovered

ed drafting error in

FMAP provision in

when the Federal

Register is released.

Uncorrected, the error

provides La. estimat-

ed \$4,245m benefit

for La.

June 29: Louisiana will recieve \$1,215m total in disaster-recovery FMAP aid, \$1b more than the original formula intended.

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JAN. 10: Gov. Jindal meets with the Louisiana Congressional Delegation regarding a number of legislative priorities, including FMAP.

JANUARY: DHH Sec.Levine visits Washington, D.C., meets with the Louisiana delegation regarding the stimulus package and Medicaid reform in Louisiana.

April 2: Sec. Levine sends Sen. Landrieu's office the Federal Funds Information for States report.

> **April 6**: Sec. Levine sends a letter to Interim HHS Sec. Charles Johnson. citing the FMAP projections and requests a meeting with the Department.

Sec. Levine delivers a presentation before the House Committee on Appropriations and highlights the projected drop in La.'s FMAP.

JUNE: Sec. Levine's Chief of Staff, Julia Kenny, sends Sen. Landrieu's office proposed legislation regarding the FMAP adjustment.

> July 20: Sen. FMAP.

Aug. 11: Sec. Levine holds an informational briefing for health care providers on the drop in Louisana's FMAP to ask for help in rallying congressional support.

Landrieu and Gov. Jindal meet to discuss Landrieu meets with Leader Reid and gives Reid a list of her priorities in health care reform, including a request for language that would protect states after a Presidentially-declared disaster.

OCTOBER: Sen.

Sept.16: Senate Finance Committee releases America's Healthy Future Act.

Sec. Levine's office emails the La. delegation in response to Sen. Harry Reid's statement that the bill includes an increased Medicaid assistance for Nevada.

Dec. 24: The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act passed the Senate, including the FMAP fix, providing a projected \$207m in

assistance.

Nov. 21: Sen.Landrieu votes for the motion to proceed to the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act.

Nov. 6: Rep. Cao introduced H.R. 4047 to use historical averages to calculate the FMAP for disaster affected states for the Medicaid program.

June 3: The La. legislature adjures, having passed its FY13 budget

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June 29: Despite Sen. Landrieu's objections, GOP House leadership insists on using FY13 and FY14 assistance, \$665m, as a pay-for in the federal, 2-year transportation bill.

Feb. 16: The drafting error is corrected as part of the SGR/Payroll Tax extension & phases out the assistance by FY15, still providing La. \$1,880m, not making any cuts to published FY13